# OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH & GENERAL COUNSEL



# NOTICE OF MEETING HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE

The committee chairs have scheduled the following meeting:

DATE: Wednesday, October 20, 2004

TIME: **2:00 p.m.** 

PLACE: Room W015 House Building

An agenda follows this notice. If committee members would like to be excused from the meeting, they may call Mark Andrews or Joy Miller at 538-1032.

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Sen. James M. Evans, Senate Chair Rep. Mike Thompson, House Chair

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Rep. Craig Frank	Rep. Steven R. Mascaro
Rep. Patricia W. Jones	Rep. Darin G. Peterson
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UTAH LEGISLATURE

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Approximate Time Frame

#### 2:00 1. Committee Business

- Call to order
- Approval of the minutes of the September 15, 2004 meeting

#### 2:05 2. Bleeding Disorders

At its June meeting the Committee voted to create an informal work group to study issues related to the treatment of hemophilia and other bleeding disorders. The Committee will consider the work group's report.

Representative David Litvack

#### 2:50 3. Blood-borne Pathogens

The Committee will consider legislation proposed by the Utah Department of Health to clarify the procedure for testing of emergency medical services personnel who may have been exposed to a blood-borne pathogen.

Ms. Teresa Garrett, Utah Department of Health

#### 3:15 4. Medical Education Council

In 1997 the Legislature created the Medical Education Council to advise the Legislature on the training of specified medical professionals—physicians, physician assistants, advance practice nurses, and pharmacists. The Committee will receive a report on the status of the physician workforce and the role of the Legislature in meeting future needs.

Mr. Gar Elison, Medical Education Council

#### 3:40 5. Medical Reserve Corps

The Committee will be briefed on efforts in Utah to create medical reserve corps capable of providing surge capacity in times of disaster.

Senator Lyle W. Hillyard

#### 3:50 6. Department of Health Reports

Pursuant to statute, the Committee will consider the Department of Health's report on the performance of the Prescription Drug Assistance Program created by the Legislature in 2003. The Committee will also receive a report on the Center for Multicultural Health created by the Legislature in 2004.

Department of Health

#### 4:10 7. Other Business

## 4:15 8. Adjourn